

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK of the UNITED STATES

Jobs Through Exports

Ex-Im Bank: Trade Financing Solutions

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How Does Export-Import Bank Fit In?

State Department

gives foreign policy guidance – US Embassies



Commerce Department

provides information, counseling and expertise Foreign Commercial Service



US Trade & Development Agency project planning funding & assistance



OPIC

provides project finance and investment insurance



Export-Import Bank

finances exports through varied term programs and insurance





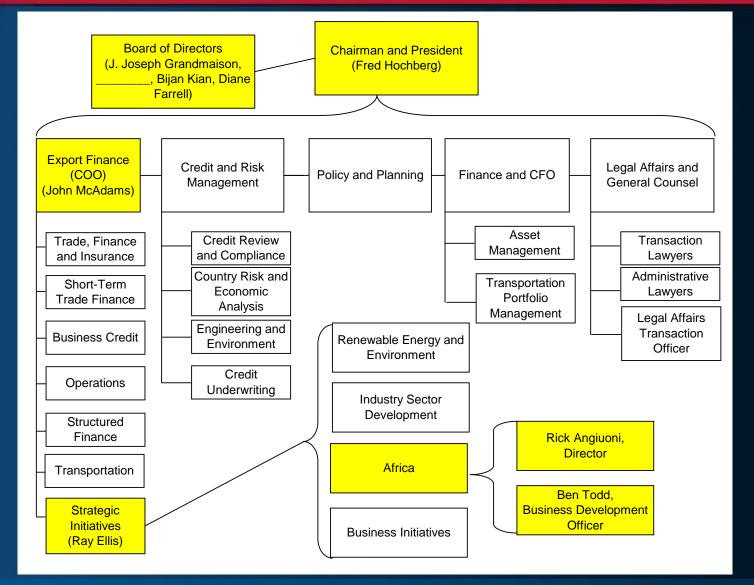
Ex-Im Bank Introduction

Export-Import Bank (Ex-Im Bank) is an independent agency of the United States Government

- Established in 1934
- Headquartered in Washington, DC
- 7 regional U.S. offices



The Africa business development office is under the COO





Ex-Im Bank Introduction (cont'd.)

- Official export credit agency of the United States
- Mission: assist in financing the export of U.S. goods and services to international markets
- Does not compete with private sector lenders, but provides export financing products that fill gaps in trade financing
- Assumes credit and country risks that the private sector is unable or unwilling to accept



Ex-Im Bank's Commitment to Supporting Transactions in Africa

- Since 1999, Ex-Im Bank has supported over\$4.8 billion in transactions throughout SSA
- For fiscal year ended September 30, 2008, Ex-Im Bank supported 133 transactions totaling \$575 million in 20 SSA countries
- > Total SSA exposure is \$2.6 billion



How Ex-Im Bank Can Assist You

Your Needs

Our Solutions

Short-Term Accounts ••• Export Credit Insurance Receivable Financing

Medium-Term & ••••••
Long-Term Financing

Export Credit Insurance or Commercial Loan Guarantees; Project/Structured Finance; Transportation



Benefits to International Buyers

- > IMPROVED CASH FLOW
- > LOWER INTEREST RATES
- > EXTENDED TERMS
- > ESTABLISH CREDIT RECORD



Ex-Im Bank is open Long-Term in Nigeria

	Short-term Sector(s) Open	Medium-term Sector(s) Open	Long-term Sector(s) Open	Open for Specially Financed Transactions
Nigeria	Public & Private	Public & Private	Public & Private	Yes

- Total Ex-Im Bank exposure in Nigeria is \$403 million.
- Recently, Ex-Im Bank has visited Nigeria at least three times a year.
- ►In FY2008, Ex-Im Bank did \$128 million on 33 transactions

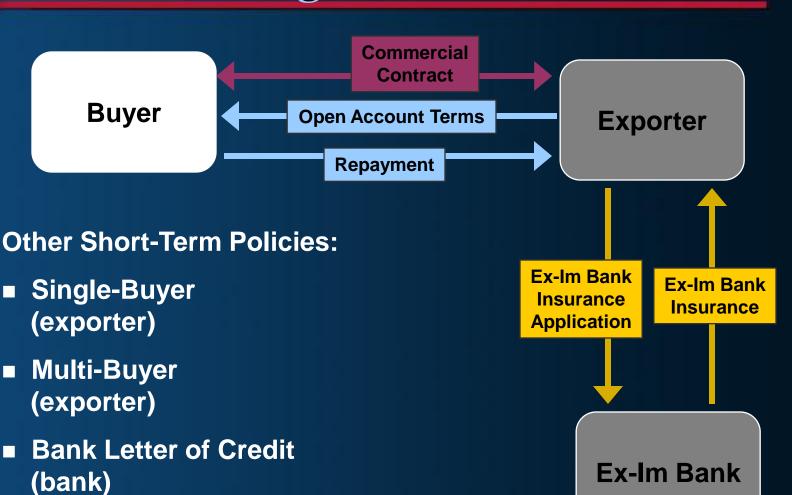


US Content Policy

- Export must be exported from the United States
- > 51% U.S. content for short-term transactions
- up to 85% U.S. content for medium/long-term transactions (OECD driven)
- Services must be performed by US-based personnel, either in the US or in the "host" country



Short-Term Export Credit Insurance is Rather Straightforward



Financial Institution Buyer Credit (bank)



Exposure fee advice tables

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK OF THE UNITED STATES PREMIUM RATES

Effective: 11/2/2007

NIGERIA

Short Term Single Buyer Insurance

Term	Sight L/C	CAD/SDDP	1- 60	61 - 120	121 - 180	181 - 270	271 - 360
SOV/POL/PS:	\$0.13	\$0.26	\$0.70	\$1.14	\$1.45	\$1.83	\$2.23
F.I.:	\$0.14	\$0.28	\$0.75	\$1.23	\$1.57	\$1.98	\$2.41
NFI:	N.A.	\$0.47	\$1.26	\$2.07	\$2.64	\$3.32	\$4.05

Pre-Presentation for Letters of Credit

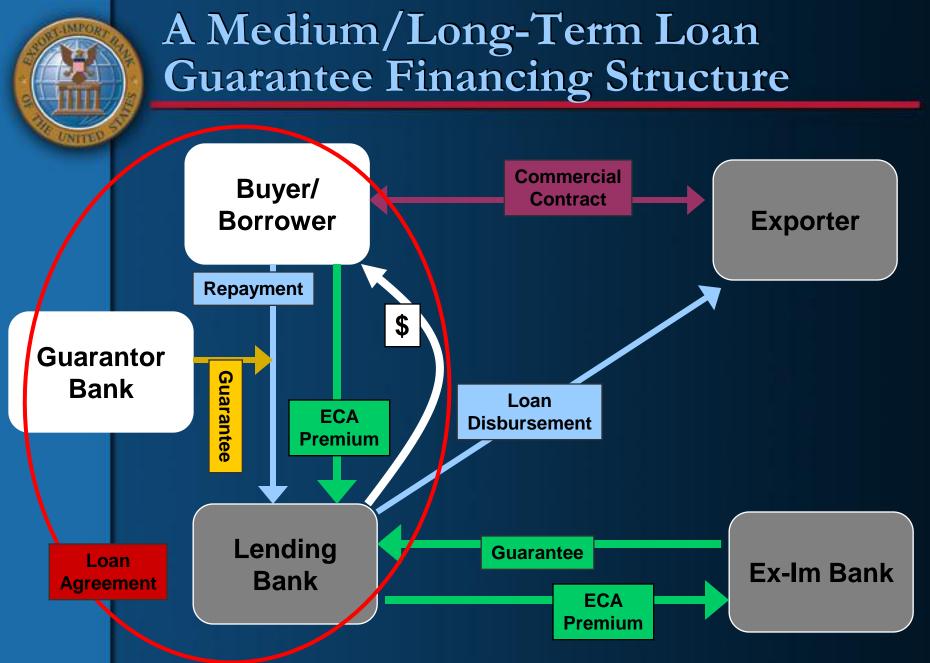
Term	Sight - 90	91 - 120	121 - 180	181 - 270	271 - 360	
SOV:	\$0.13	\$0.19	\$0.26	\$0.39	\$0.52	
F.I.:	\$0.14	\$0.21	\$0.28	\$0.42	\$0.56	

Sov= Sovereign; POL=Political Only; PS=Preshipment; F.I. = Financial Institution (public/private); NFI=Non Financial Institution (public/private)



Application for ST Insurance

- The following are the required steps to obtain an Export Credit Insurance policy:
 - U.S. exporter and international buyer negotiate a sales contract;
 - 2. International buyer supplies the U.S. exporter with financial information, as required by Ex-Im Bank's credit standards.
 - 3. U.S. exporter submits insurance application to Exlm Bank, which includes requisite financial information received from the buyer.



For transactions over \$10 million, Ex-Im Bank is party to the loan agreement

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14 Nigerian Banks are part of our \$1 billion Nigerian Bank Facility

Access Bank www.accessbankplc.com

Afribank www.afribank.com

Diamond Bank www.diamondbank.com

Ecobank www.ecobank.com

Fidelity Bank www.fidelitybankplc.com

First Bank www.firstbanknigeria.com

First City Monument www.firstcitygroup.com

Guaranty Trust Bank (GTB) www.gtbplc.com

Investment Banking & Trust Company

(IBTC)

Intercontinental Bank

Oceanic Bank

Skye Bank

Union Bank

Zenith Bank

www.ibtc.com

www.intercontinentalbankplc.com

www.oceanicbanknigeria.com

www.skyebanking.com

www.unionbankng.com

www.zenithbank.com

The facility's utilization rate is 44%

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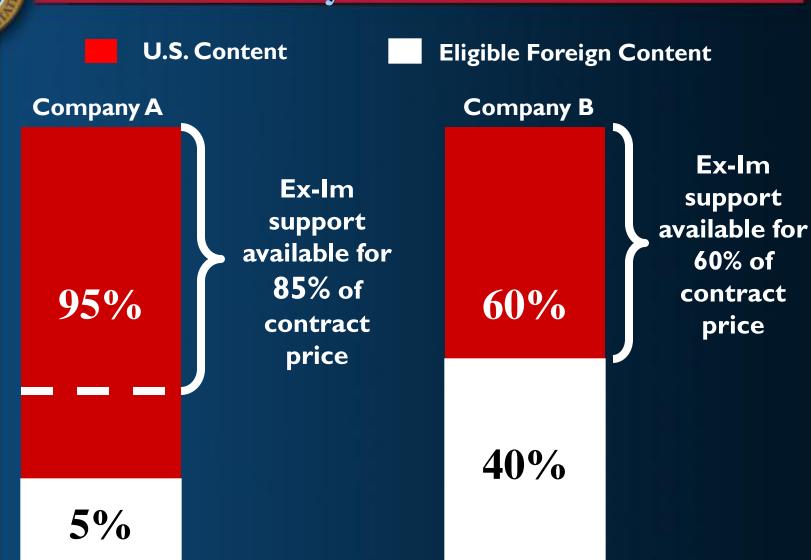
Medium/Long-Term Foreign Content Policy

For medium- and long-term financing, Ex-Im Bank will support the following amounts:

- 85% of the contract price if eligible foreign content is 15% or less
- Greater than 15% eligible foreign content, Ex-Im will support U.S. content only



Medium/Long-Term Foreign Content Policy



This is a Standard Medium/Long-Term Financing Transaction Profile

Net contract price \$ 1,000,000

Cash payment (15%) (150,000)

Financed portion \$850,000

Exposure fee @ 10% +85,000

Total financed \$ <u>935,000</u>

Medium Term: up to 7 years, including 2 year disbursement

Repayment: 5 years, or 10 equal semi-annual payments

Long Term: up to 12 years, including 2 year disbursement

Repayment: 10 years, or 20 equal semi-annual payments



Ex-Im Bank Exposure Fee Calculator (for all M/L-T Products)

Ex-Im Bank Exposure Fee Calculator

This is a nonbinding fee calculation provided for your convenience.

Actual fees will be determined by Ex-Im Bank upon approval of a completed application.

Non-Sovereign							
Political Only Sovereign							
6.83 % 7.65 %	8.48 %	9.32 %	10.18 %	11.05 %	11.93	%	
-1 0	1	2	3	4	5		
<u>Transaction Risk Increment:</u>							
Paid: Up Front (F) or As Drawn (D 🔻	D 🔽					
Financed? (Y/N)				Yes 🔻			
Drawdown Period: (Months)				6			
Repayment Period: (Years)				5.0			
Product: MT Insurance (2) or Guarantee/Direct Loan (3)				3 🔽			
Percentage of Cover:				100 %			
Ex-Im Bank Exposure Fee Level (or by Country):				Nigeria (6)			

See: http://www.exim.gov/tools/fee_calc.html



Applications for Medium/Long-Term products differ

- There are three steps to approaching Ex-Im Bank:
 - I. U.S. exporter and international buyer negotiate a sales contract;
 - 2. International buyer and/or U.S. exporter identify a financing institution to provide the loan (commonly a U.S. bank, but foreign banks willing to lend U.S. dollars can also apply);
 - 3. Lending institution submits final application to Ex-Im Bank for review and approval.
- Letter of Interest (Eligible Applicants: Anyone)
 - To initiate financing discussions with lending institutions or to complement financing proposals for competitive bids, U.S exporters and importers can obtain an Ex-Im Bank Letter of Interest (LI) to assist in negotiations for medium- and long-term transactions.
 - The LI indicates the Bank's willingness to consider a financing offer if sale is completed. An LI can be issued within seven days of a request for financing and remains in effect for six months.



Medium/Long-term Application Processing has Several Steps



Approval Phase

Final Commitment Application

Due Diligence

- > Loan Division
- > Environmental
- > Engineering

Board or Credit
Committee
Presentation

Approval of Final Commitment

Documentation Phase

Draft of Credit Agreement

Negotiation of Credit Agreement

Execution of Credit Agreement

Condition Precedents

Disbursement Phase

- 3 Disbursement Methods
- Reimbursement*
- Letter of Credit*
- Direct Payment

*for transactions greater than \$20 million, only reimbursement or L/C



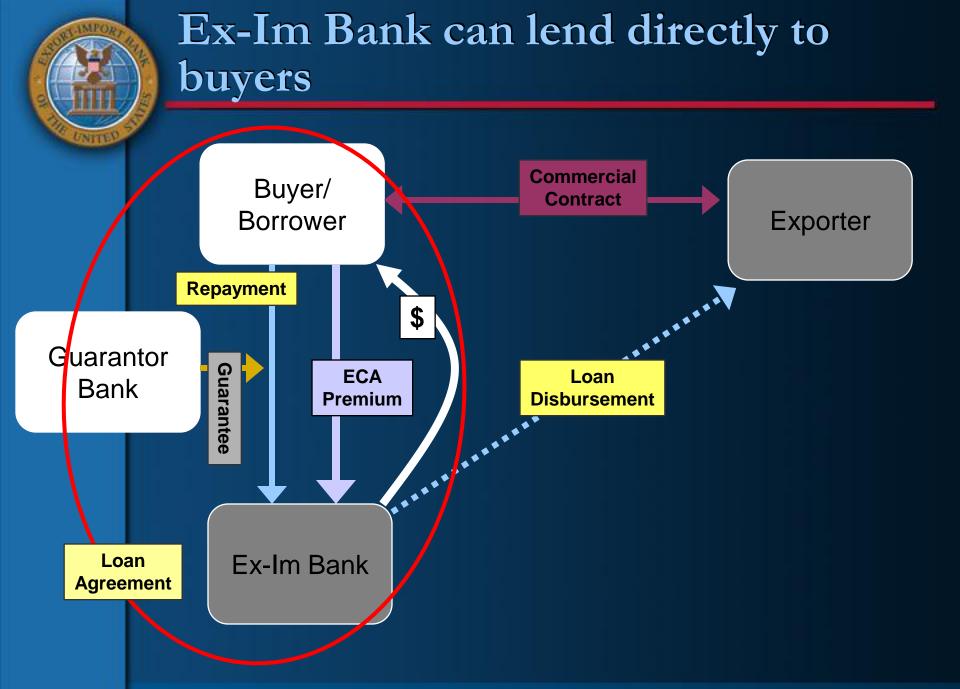
Direct Loans are becoming more common

Repayment Term	CIRR Rate*
Up to 10 Semi-Annuals (S/As)	2.32%
> 10 S/As up to 17 S/As	2.86%
> 17 S/As	3.47%

Transactions are normally:

- Over \$10 million, and
- Used for financing purchases of U.S. capital equipment and services, and exports to large-scale projects.
- Fixed rate

*Commercial Interest Reference Rate is for May 15, 2009 - June 14, 2009





Ex-Im Bank has several main policies

- Shipping (Only for All Direct Loans and Guarantees over \$20 million)
- Foreign content (eligible vs. ineligible)
- Used Equipment
- > Local Costs
 - Ex-Im Bank can support up to 30% of the US contract value in costs incurred in the buyer's country
- Military
 - Ex-Im Bank cannot consider Military exports

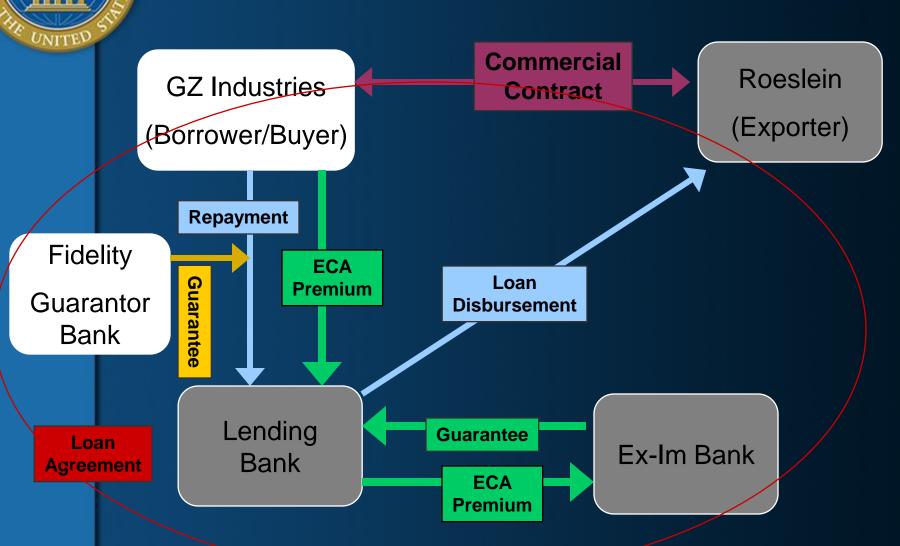


Case Study: Project Profile

- Project Description: Aluminum Can Manufacturing Facility
- Total Project Cost: \$27,500,000
- Location: Ogun State, Nigeria
- Ex-Im Bank Financed Amount: \$19,634,327
- Balance of Financing: Shareholder's Equity and Bank debt
- Tenor: 7 years



Case Study: Financing Structure: Ex-Im Guaranteed Loan





Case Study: Project Rationale

- Feasibility Study: Completed with a grant provided by USTDA
- Plant Capacity: 600 million aluminum cans per year
- Financing Structure: Sound with debt & capital distributed
- Offtake of the Plant: Nigerian bottling & brewery companies
- ROI: very attractive

Establishing a world-class manufacturing facility in Nigeria.



Case Study: Project Rationale

- Principal parties:
 - Roeslein & Associates: US Exporter
 - Well established track record
 - Fidelity: Nigerian Guarantor
 - Well capitalized and sound management
 - GZI: Borrower
 - Professional strong management
 - Rexam: Technical partner
 - Experienced and industry leader
 - ROI: very attractive



Case Study: Macroeconomic Rationale

- Nigeria is a market of 150 million people
- No domestic source of the production of aluminum cans.
- Import substitution as cans in Nigeria are imported and bottlers pay 20% tariff.
- Creation of jobs for local Nigerians
- Diversification of Nigerian economy
- Investments in Nigeria
 - Nigeria an attractive investment destination
 - Risk vs. rewards
 - Supporting business framework
 - Welcoming environment



Strategic Initiatives

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